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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

In response to the Final rejection dated May 8, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIM:

Please amend Claim 12 as follows:

12. (AMENDED) A Coriolis mass flow meter comprising:

an entry-side manifold with an inlet portion and integral first inlet branch and integral second inlet branch, said inlet portion extending in an axial direction, said first inlet branch bending to terminate at a first inlet branch end with a first inlet connection direction at an acute angle to said axial direction, said second inlet branch bending to terminate at an second inlet

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